

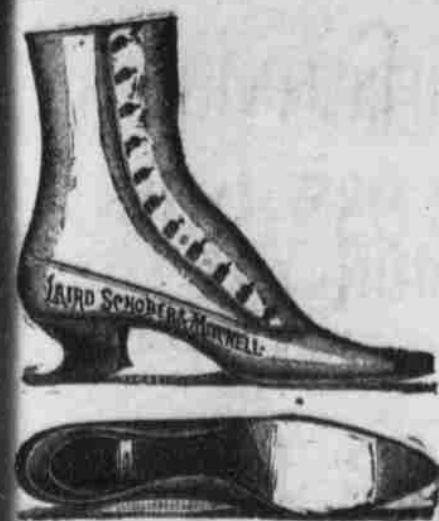
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SABDERAT PASS ATTACK.

The Enemy Repulsed After a Severe Fight.

MADRID, March 22.—La Epoca, the leading Spanish ministerial organ, says:

"An extensive examination of the accounts published by the leading American newspaper of the debates in congress shows that, setting aside hypocrisy, the real issues, as some senators point out, is whether the United States can take possession of Cuba by force or not.

"If they can, why, let them declare war against us; let them set their fleets in motion and send them to Cuba. They need not doubt that we will receive them as it behooves us to do. If they cannot declare war, then, as honorable members of congress have said, let these debates cease and let Spain govern herself with the liberty she is entitled to and which nobody can limit.

"Anything is better than to go on threatening and hiding under the veil of jingoism and the no longer fashionable intentions of those whose aspiration is the independence of in order to obtain its annexation afterward."

The Herald says: "Spain could never officially recognize a United States commission in Cuban affairs. It is impossible that President Cleveland should have such an idea. War between Spain and America would be preferable.

"Spain, in former times, has accepted the consequences of a more terrible struggle than would be a war with the United States, and we should prefer to risk a war to recognizing the commission."

Almost all the newspapers here pretend to regard as unfounded the rumor that President Cleveland will appoint a Cuban commission, and they echo the sentiments of the Herald on the subject. No official intimation of such a commission has reached here.

MASSOWAH, March 23.—A force of 600 dervishes attacked Sabderat pass March 8. It was defended by 80 native troops, and the enemy were defeated and fled, leaving 41 killed. The Italian loss was three killed. March 10, 1,507 dervishes renewed the attack but was repulsed with heavy loss. Three thousand dervishes are still threatening the pass and reinforcements have been dispatched from Cassala. The negus Menelek has ordered his chiefs to meet him at Makalle, where he will bid them farewell and return to Shoa. Adigrat has been furnished with a plentiful supply of water to last until the end of April.

COST OF PEACE.

Rome, March 23.—According to the Italic, General Baldissera reports that the negus of Abyssinia has imposed new and unacceptable conditions, which are likely to delay the conclusion of peace.

The Tribuna says Menelek demands an indemnity of \$5,000,000, in gold.

Filibuster Trial.

NEW YORK, March 23.—When the cases of the alleged filibusters were called today before Justice Lacombe, in the United States circuit court, General Balixto Garcia did not respond. His bail of \$30,000 was declared forfeited. General Garcia was reported to have been on board the Bermuda when she left this port on March 15. The other five prisoners were present. At the request of the district attorney, a hearing was set for next Monday.

For Cuban Independence.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—At 2 o'clock Mills, of Texas, introduced resolutions directing the president to request Spain to give local self government to Cuba, and in the event of a Spanish refusal, the president is authorized to take possession of Cuba, using military and naval forces for that purpose, and holding it until the people of Cuba can establish local self government. At 3 o'clock a motion of Senator Sherman to refer the Cuban resolution to the conference committee was adopted without division. The chair announced Sherman, Morgan and Lodge as the senate conferees.

The Cuban resolutions.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Sherman has given notice in the senate that he will move to recommit the Cuban resolutions to the conference committee. Sherman said his object was to secure as much modification of them as will satisfy the scruples of some senators who are opposing the resolutions, and secure a vote at an early date.

Important Decision.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—A decision was rendered by the supreme court of the United States today in the case of Theodore F. Brown, involving the right of the court to compel an answer by a witness to questions in interstate commerce matters, notwithstanding he may plead self-incrimination as a result of his answer. The decision was opposed to Brown's contention. He was protected by the constitution from this requirement and the decision of the court below is affirmed. The opinion was handed down by Justice Brown. Justices Field, Shiras, Gray and White dissented, holding that a constitutional provision was sufficient to relieve Brown from the requirements of an answer.

A New Play.

NEW YORK, March 23.—A. M. Palmer, it is announced, will produce a new play by Coghlan, with Miss Rose Coghlan in the leading role. The heroine of this piece is a young woman who is in love with a curate, but who is forced by her avaricious parents to marry a London pawnbroker. The pawnbroker dies and his wife, who continues to carry on the business, is enabled to assist the former lover's brother, and also to solve the mystery of a great diamond robbery.

Absolute Divorce.

TRENTON, N. J., March 23.—Chancellor McGill filed a decree today granting an absolute divorce to Mrs. Charlotte Coleman Drayton from J. Coleman Drayton on the grounds of desertion. Mrs. Drayton is a daughter of the late William Astor.

Pearl Bryan Murder.

NEWPORT, Ky., March 23.—Jackson and Walling were arraigned today for the murder of Pearl Bryan. Both men pleaded not guilty. Their demurrers to the indictment were overruled. Judge Helm granted motions for separate trials. Jackson will be tried first, April 7.

Electing Senators.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The house committee on election of president and vice-president today reported favorably the bill introduced by Corliss of Michigan, providing for the election of senators by a direct vote of the people.

Did Not Lose Money.

NEW YORK, March 23.—J. P. Morgan & Company deny all knowledge of H. R. Kendall. It is also denied that there has been a loss of \$20,000 in the manner described in the Baltimore dispatch.

Women Admitted.

DENVER, March 23.—By a vote of 107 to 7 the Wilmington M. E. conference today voted against the admission of women as lay delegates to the conference.

A Good Man Gone.

LONDON, March 23.—Thos. Hughes, Q. C., author of "Tom Brown's School Days," "Tom Brown at Oxford," etc., and founder of the British settlement at Rugby, Tenn., is dead, aged 76.

MITCHELL-CORBETT.

A Big Purse Offered By English Sports.

MANY MINERS KILLED.

Terrific Explosion In a Big Pennsylvania Shaft.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The following cablegram from George W. Atkinson, of the Sporting Life, London, to Richard K. Fox, was received today: "Bollingbrook club offers \$12,000 for Mitchell and Corbett. Mitchell accepts. Does Corbett?" (Signed) Atkinson. Corbett, who is in Cincinnati, has been communicated with.

FAST MONEY.

CINCINNATI, March 23.—James J. Corbett, when shown the proposition from the Bollingbrook club, said: "I would gladly accept this offer if I were after money, because I count it easy money; but my game is Fitzsimmons."

Mine Explosion.

DUBOIS, Pa., March 23.—A terrific explosion occurred in the Berwyn-White shaft in the eastern limits of this city today and 14 miners were killed. Some of the bodies were mutilated almost beyond recognition. Nearly all of the bodies have been found at 1 p. m., and brought to the foot of the shaft.

HUNG TO A TREE.

William Murphy Lynched for Murdering His Comrade.

CHATTANOOGA, March 23.—A mob took William Murphy from the jail at Huntsville, Tenn., Saturday night and hanged him to a tree. The villagers knew nothing of it until the body was found hanging from a honey-locust tree this morning, not 80 paces from the old calaboose.

William Murphy was in jail awaiting trial for the murder of Bill Nowlin, a miner, three weeks ago. About 30 mountaineers, with handkerchiefs over their faces, did the lynching. The leader wore no disguise, but seemed to be a stranger. He knocked at the door, awakened Jailer C. C. Ellis, representing he was a deputy sheriff with a prisoner he wanted locked up. As the jailer opened the door he was covered with a large army pistol and the keys demanded. He refused to surrender the keys. The mountaineers drew revolvers on the jailer's frightened wife and daughter and they got the keys and gave them to the mob.

Murphy was found praying for mercy. He begged hard for his life, but if they would kill him he begged not to be dragged or choked to death. He was roughly dragged out and hanged on the nearest tree.

Murphy and his victim were both miners. Murphy leaves a widow and several children at Junction City, Ky. Huntsville is near the Kentucky line.

A Royal Visit.

BERLIN, March 23.—The emperor is announced to leave Berlin today for Genoa, from which port he will make a cruise of the Mediterranean, ending at Abazia.

It is said the kaiser will have an interview at Genoa with King Humbert.

Joliet Fire.

JOLIET, Ill., March 23.—The Joliet branch of the Consolidated Steel & Wire company lost \$150,000 by fire this morning, throwing 200 men out of work.

A new Populist paper has appeared at Corvallis, with Chester Mason as editor.

The Lane County Sunday School association will hold its annual meeting in Croswell on May 29, and 30.

CURBSTONE CHRONICLES.

[BY A BYSTANDER.]

Judge Judd will be too hard to pronounce.

The people are not clamoring for bankers exactly.

Boys, do your killing off in the convention. Its harder to do it afterward.

And a red headed crumb picker from Missouri is to go to the legislature too!

It is to be hoped the Dolphites in Woodburn have got through fighting Barkley.

A great many strictly religious combinations were formed on the "q. v." yesterday.

Tilmon Ford will have every delegate from Marion county to the congressional convention.

Senator Patterson is referred to in the lobbies as the Boss Buckley of Oregon. Only Ike isn't blind.

Some of the early delegates were entertained by the Salvation army last night and a few were converted.

Geo. P. Hughes is one of the men slated by the single standard people for official favors. George goes it straight.

There are still more Democrats kept in office in Marion county by the Republican party than by Mr. Cleveland, by two to one.

Jap Minto is the farmer's favorite for county treasurer because he runs his office without a banking or money-lending annex.

Dear old Billy Armstrong was knocked silly in South Salem precinct, and Boss Gilbert has been asked from Ireland to fire Macy.

What do we need so much is a registration law in towns of 1000 or over? Was the late school election not clean as heaven itself?

As usual Macleany politicians are fighting their best men. They wouldn't enjoy religion if they stood by a good man unselfishly.

There is more real talent at large for county judge than for all the other offices in the county—enough to stock several supreme benches.

Rev. Farmer talked a little politics Sunday night from his pulpit. Of course, he didn't say politics but he meant it all right and meant it hard.

Poor old Capt. Adams, of North Salem, is out for constable. He is a grand army man, and if he was only deputy sheriff or had some other lucrative office he might succeed.

Ed. Judd is one man who will not get all the Populist votes in the county. He once called them the "and-so-forth" party. He has also made other remarks.

The Illihee club has turned out to be a perfectly moral institution—no liquors, no gambling, except billiards. The rules are quite strict and even politics is talked in a whisper.

At Brooks primary a 24 foot ring was formed for several contestants who could not settle it otherwise. It will take a bigger ring than that to accommodate the contestants Tuesday.

Mayor Gatch is in great demand. He is one of the men all classes of politicians go to with their woes and all get equal consolation, as he is absolutely non-committal, but gives friendly advice.

Mr. Geer has well defined views on one position at least—he has cancelled all his appointments to speak since he heard the way the Salem primaries were carried by the gold standard mostly.

The country delegates are forming up in pretty solid lines against Frank Wrightman for sheriff. Perhaps

they want to see some new faces among the deputies and know no other way to force a change.

Get ready to hear Walter Tooze howl, gentlemen! He will be in the convention on a proxy only. Mr. Poorman, as is his custom, will not say anything.

Ed. M. Croisan and Geo. G. Bingham are the Salem sound money candidates for the legislature. Mr. Bingham will incidentally represent the Southern Pacific and Salem Electric Light company.

The man who was superintendent of the penitentiary for about fifteen minutes will be sent to the legislature. He lobbied for the old Portland ring on the floor of the house all last session. He will now be put where he can serve them openly.

If the farmers get anything but Portland ring men in the next legislature it will be an accident. They accidentally got three last time. There is no proof that any of them stole anything and hence the whole fight of the gang is on the three poor fools who didn't take money when it was in sight.

Warren Cranston of Silverton, E. M. Croisan of Salem, Dr. J. N. Smith of Salem, J. M. Poorman of Woodburn, Dr. J. C. Smith of Jefferson, are said to be the Croisan slate for the legislature. If Mr. Croisan makes the slate.

The Populists gathered together in the various precincts of Salem Saturday. They are the ghosts of Oregon politics, but many storm hard the gates of office before they finally vanish.

Andy Gilbert went to the primaries, and publicly and wickedly, and with his heart full of sweet revenge, struck the name of Ed. Hirsch of the Croisan slate. But he had no influence with the people of the ward. They voted solidly for Ed. Hirsch.

Warren Cranston is a safe man for the gang to put on the slate for the legislature. He hasn't any progressive nonsense in his head, believes in the single standard, is opposed to the mortgage tax law, and reads nothing that he believes except the Oregonian.

John G. Wright and Dr. J. N. Smith are regarded as distinctively John H. Mitchell candidates for the legislature at Salem. They will not have to be promised an office to vote for him nor be forced to abandon him by any secret caucus.

It is reported that Geo. W. Davis is a warm friend of Mitchell in this county. He is in favor of Croisan, Bingham, Cranston, Poorman, and some other good Mitchell man on the legislative ticket. Mr. Davis was school land clerk four years.

Elder Barkley will be the strongest man in the county in one respect. He can take 60 pounds in each hand and hold them out at arm's length. He can double up any politician in the county at back-hold, side-hold, square-hold or rough and tumble. Try him boys.

The curbstone prophecy is that the names of Barkley, Craig and Hofer, who bolted Dolph in the legislature of 1895, will not go before the Republican convention. Good old Warren Cranston, whose Republicanism is as creamy as his cheese, and who can be absolutely relied upon to obey the caucus, if it is for sound money, is slated for one place.

Ed T. Judd of Astoria, Judge Batchelor of Yew Park, Robt. A. Crossan, Jo Baker and Sam Richardson of Salem No. 2, J. W. Grimm of Hubbard, G. P. Terrell of Mehama, and the present official Judge Hubbard of Fairfield, are in the field for county judge. Sam Richardson is the ablest lawyer and the only strictly honest man in the lot!

John Tait, of Croswell, Lane county, this week, shipped to Port Townsend, Wash., 40 head of choice stalled beef cattle. They averaged 1,200 pounds, and he received 3 cents per pound gross for them.

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